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Cerebro-spinal meningitis in the United States as reported to the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, March 16 to June 23, 1905.

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| Place.                  | Date.                                   | Cases.        | Deaths.                                 | Remarks. |
|-------------------------|---|---------------|---|----------|
| California:             |   |               |   |          |
| Los Angeles             | Apr. 1-30, 1905                         |               | 1                                       |          |
| Qakland                 | Apr. 1-30, 1905<br>July 1-Dec. 31, 1904 |               | 2                                       |          |
| San Francisco           | July 1-Dec. 31, 1904                    |               | 16                                      |          |
|                         | Jan. 2-May 27,1905                      |               | 6                                       |          |
| Total for State         |   |               | 25                                      |          |
| olorado:<br>Denver      | July 1, 1904-Mar.                       | 15            | 15                                      |          |
| Pueblo                  | 31, 1905.<br>July 1-Sept. 30,<br>1904.  | 2             | 2                                       |          |
| Total for State         |   | 17            | 17                                      |          |
| onnecticut:             |   |               |   |          |
| Bridgeport              | May 1-31, 1905                          | 4             |   |          |
| Derby                   | May 1-31, 1905                          | 1             |   |          |
| Hartford                | May 1-31, 1905                          | 2             |   |          |
| New Britain             | May 1-31, 1905                          | 1             |   |          |
| New Haven               | Sept. 1-Dec. 31,<br>1904.               |               | 18                                      |          |
| Do                      | Jan. 1-May 31, 1905.                    | 34            | 19                                      |          |
| Norwalk                 | May 1-31, 1905                          | 1             |   |          |
| Putnam                  | May 1-31, 1905                          | 2             |   |          |
| Waterbury               | May 1-31, 1905<br>May 1-31, 1905        | $\frac{1}{2}$ | • |          |
| West Haven              | May 1-51, 1905                          | 2             |   |          |
| Total for State         |   | 48            | 37                                      |          |
| elaware:<br>Wilmington  | July 1, 1904–May<br>27, 1905.           | 1             | 15                                      |          |
| Total for State         |   | 1             | 15                                      |          |
| llinois:                |   |               |   |          |
| Belleville              | Apr. 1-7, 1905                          |               | 1                                       |          |
| Chicago                 |   |               | 9                                       |          |
| •                       |   |               |   |          |
| Total for State         |   |               | 10                                      |          |
| adiana:                 | T                                       |               | 150                                     |          |
| General                 | Jan. 1-Apr. 30, 1905                    |               | 159                                     |          |
| Total for State         |   |               | 159                                     |          |
| ansas:                  |   |               |   |          |
| Gove County             | Apr. 1-30, 1905                         | 3             | 1                                       |          |
| Wichita                 | Apr. 9-29, 1905                         | 2             | 2                                       |          |
| Total for State         |   | 5             | 3                                       |          |
| ·                       | Re-                                     |               |   |          |
| ouisiana:<br>Shreveport | Sept.1-Dec. 31.1904                     |               | 2                                       |          |
| Do                      | Jan.1-Feb.28, 1905                      |               | 1                                       |          |
| Total for State         |   |               | 3                                       |          |
|                         |   |               |   |          |
| laryland:<br>Baltimore  | Mar. 22, 1905                           | 2             |   |          |
| Total for State         |   | 2             |   |          |
| fassachusetts:          |   |               |   |          |
| Brockton                | Mar. 1-31, 1905                         |               | 1                                       |          |
| Fall River              | Apr. 1-May 27, 1905                     | 5             | 3                                       |          |
| Haverhill               | May 14-20, 1905                         | 2             | 2                                       |          |
| Lawrence                | Mar. 25-June 10,                        | 42            | 27                                      |          |
| Lowell                  | 1905.<br>Mar. 11-June 17,               | 79            | 49                                      |          |
|                         | 1905.                                   |               |   |          |
| Lynn                    | Apr. 2-May 27, 1905                     | 6             | 11                                      |          |
| New Bedford<br>Newton   |   |               | $\begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{vmatrix}$  |          |
| Quincy                  | Mar. 26-Apr. 1,1905<br>May 20-27, 1905  | 2             | 2                                       |          |
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| Taunton                 | May 20-27. 1905                         | 1             | 8                                       |          |

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| Place.   | Date.  | Cases.       | Deaths.            | Remarks.   |
|--|--|--------------|--------------------|--|
| Massachusetts—Continued.<br>Somerfield<br>Springfield<br>Worcester | Jan.1-June 3,1905<br>Mar. 1-31, 1905<br>Apr.9-May 27, 1905               | 13<br>3<br>8 | 13<br>3<br>11      |  |
| Total for State  |  | 161          | 134                |  |
| Michigan:<br>General   | July 1-Dec. 31,1904  |              |                    | Present at 57 places, wit<br>60 deaths.<br>Present at 44 places, wit<br>170 deaths. Fort<br>deaths occurred durin<br>the month of May. |
| Do   | Mar. 5–11, 1905<br>Apr. 8–June 3, 1905                                   | 4            | 1<br>6<br>6        |  |
| Total for State  |  | 4            | 13                 |  |
| Mississippi:<br>Natchez  | July 1, 1904–May 24, 1905  | 6            | 5                  |  |
| Total for State  | ,  | 6            | 5                  |  |
| Missouri:<br>St. Joseph  |  | 3            | 3                  |  |
| Total for State  | 1905.  | 3            | 3                  |  |
| Nebraska:<br>South Omaha   |  | 2            | 1                  |  |
| Total for State  |  | 2            | 1                  |  |
| New Hampshire:<br>Concord  | Apr. 1-30  |              | 1                  |  |
| Manchester<br>Nashua   | Apr. 1-May 31<br>Mar. 1-Apr. 22, 1905                                    |              | 37<br>4            |  |
| Total for State  |  |              | 42                 |  |
| New Jersey:<br>Jersey City   | Jan. 1-May 14, 1905  |              | 55<br>1 <b>0</b> 0 |  |
| Newark   | 1905.  |              | 56                 |  |
| Passaic  | Apr. 2-30, 1905  | 3            | 2 2                |  |
| Total for State  |  | 87           | 215                |  |
| New York: AmherstAlbany  | Feb. 1-Mar. 31,  |              | 1 9                | 1,700 deaths were reported<br>during the calendar year   |
| Auburn   | 1905.<br>Feb. 1-Apr. 30,<br>1905.  |              | 4                  | 1904: 640 deaths were re<br>ported during January  |
| Batavia<br>Buffalo   | Feb. 1-28, 1905  |              | 1<br>17            | and March, 1905.   |
| Do   | Jan. 1-Feb. 28,<br>1905.   |              |                    |  |
| Cohoes   | 1905.  |              |                    |  |
| Esopus<br>Goshen   |  |              | 1 4                |  |
| Hempstead<br>Hudson<br>Ithaca                                      | Feb. 1-28, 1905  |              | . 1                |  |
| Jamestown<br>Kingston  | . Mar. 1–31, 1905<br>July 1, 1904–June                                   |              | $\frac{1}{8}$      |  |
| Little Falls   | 3, 1905.<br>Feb. 1-Mar. 31,<br>1905.                                     |              | . 2                |  |
| Lockport   | Feb. 1–28, 1905<br>Mar. 1–31, 1905<br>Feb. 1–28, 1905<br>Mar. 1–31, 1905 |              | 3<br>1<br>1        |  |
| New York<br>Do   | Dec. 1-31, 1904<br>Jan. 1-June 11,<br>1905.                              |              |                    |  |

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| Place.                  | Date.   | Cases. | Deaths.           | Remarks.                                    |
|-------------------------|---|--------|-------------------|---|
| New York—Continued.     |   |        |                   |   |
| Niagara Falls           | Apr. 30-June 10,<br>1905.   | 3      | 2                 |   |
| Ögdensburg              | Feb. 1-Mar. 31,   |        | 2                 |   |
| Ossining                | 1905.<br>Mar. 1–31, 1905  |        | 1                 |   |
| Plattsburg              | Feb. 1–28, 1905   |        | 1                 |   |
| Port Chester            |   |        | 1<br>1            |   |
| Poughkeepsie            | Mar. 1-51, 1905<br>Mar.1-June 7, 1905                                   |        | $\frac{1}{2}$     |   |
| Rome                    | May 1-Aug. 31,  |        | 3                 |   |
| Do                      |   | 1      | 3                 |   |
| Schenectady             | 1905.<br>July 1-Dec. 31,  | 7      | 7                 |   |
| Do                      | 1904.<br>Jan. 1-Mar. 31,  | 7      | 8                 |   |
|                         | 1905.   |        | 6                 |   |
| Syracuse                | 1905.   |        |                   |   |
| Troy                    |   |        | 7 3               |   |
| Do                      | Jan. 1-May 31,1905<br>Mar. 1-31, 1905                                   |        | 1                 |   |
| Whitestown              | Mar. 1-31, 1905   |        | 1                 |   |
| Yonkers                 | Feb. 1-Mar. 31,<br>1905.  |        | 14                |   |
| Total for State         |   | 22     | 935               |   |
| North Carolina:         |   |        |                   |   |
| Charlotte               | Mar. 1-31, 1905   |        | 2                 |   |
| Total for State         |   |        | 2                 |   |
| Ohio:                   |   |        |                   |   |
| Cincinnati              |   |        | 26                |   |
| Cleveland<br>Do         |   | 7      | 6<br>30           |   |
| Columbus                | May 25-31   | 1      | 3                 |   |
| Findlay<br>Do           | May 25-31<br>Dec. 18-24, 1904<br>Apr. 2-8, 1905<br>July 1-Dec. 31, 1904 | 2      | 2                 |   |
|                         | Apr. 2-8, 1905  | 1      | 1                 |   |
| Ironton                 | July 1-Dec.31,1904  | 2 5    | 5                 |   |
| Do<br>Springfield       | Jan. 1-May 31, 1905<br>Sept 1-Dec 31 1904                               |        | 6                 |   |
| Do                      | Jan. 1-31, 1905   | 3      | 2                 |   |
| Toledo                  | Apr. 1-Máy 27, 1905   | 1      | 7                 |   |
| Total for State         |   | 67     | 90                |   |
| Pennsylvania:           |   |        |                   |   |
| Allentown               | Mar. 26-Apr.1, 1905   |        | 1                 | One sees 1 death from                       |
| Carbondale and vicinity | July 1-Nov. 30, 1904  | 1      | 5                 | One case, 1 death from township surrounding |
| Do                      | Jan.1-Mar.31,1905   |        | 8                 | city.<br>Two imported from Ne               |
| 20                      | Jun. 1 1441.51,1305   |        |                   | York; 3 from township surrounding city.     |
| Chester                 | Sept.1-Dec.31,1904  |        | 4                 | surrounding city.                           |
| Do<br>Lancaster         | Jan. 1-Feb. 28, 1905  | 5 2    | 5 2               |   |
| Philadelphia            | Mar. 26-Apr. 1, 1905<br>Sept. 1, 1904-June                              | 50     | $3\overset{2}{2}$ |   |
| Plymouth                | 10, 1905.   |        | 8                 |   |
| Shenandoah              | 1, 1905.  |        | 5                 |   |
| Do                      | Jan. 1-Mar. 31,1905   | 5 3    | 3                 |   |
| Wilkesbarre             | July 1-31, 1904   | . 1    | 1                 |   |
| Do                      | Apr.1-May 20, 1908  |        | 3                 |   |
| Total for State         |   | . 77   | 77                |   |
| Rhode Island:           |   |        |                   |   |
| Newport                 |   |        | 16                |   |
| Providence              |   |        | 16                |   |
|                         |   |        | 17                |   |
| Texas:<br>San Antonio   | Apr. 1-30, 1905   | . 2    |                   |   |
| Total for State         |   | . 2    |                   |   |
| Grand total             |   | . 515  | 1,803             |   |
|                         |   |        |                   |   |